Docket No. 216907US0X

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Agathe SUBTIL-SANDS, et al.

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FOR:

SECRETED CHLAMYDIA POLYPEPTIDES AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING SUCH

POLYPEPTIDES BY THEIR SECRETION BY A TYPE III SECRETION PATHWAY OF A GRAM

NEGATIVE BACTERIA

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the above-identified application.

A credit card payment in the amount of \$1,030.00 to cover the fee is being made and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

Respectfully Submitted,

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